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H. R. 2192

To require that jewelry boxes imported from another country be indelibly marked with the country of origin.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. MCGOVERN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. MARKING OF IMPORTED JEWELRY BOXES.**

4 (a) MARKING REQUIREMENT.—By no later than the
5 date that is 1 year after the date of enactment of this
6 Act, the Secretary of the Treasury shall prescribe and im-
7 plement regulations that require that all jewelry boxes de-
8 scribed in subsection (b) that enter, or are withdrawn from
9 warehouse for consumption, into the customs territory of
10 the United States have the English name of the country

1 of origin indelibly marked in a conspicuous place on such
2 jewelry boxes by cutting, die-sinking, engraving, stamping,
3 or some other permanent method. The exceptions from
4 marking requirements provided for in section 304 of the
5 Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1304) shall not apply to
6 jewelry boxes subject to this section.

7 (b) JEWELRY.—The jewelry boxes referred to in sub-
8 section (a) are jewelry boxes provided for in headings
9 4202.92.60, 4202.92.90, and 4202.99.10 of the Har-
10 monized Tariff Schedule of the United States.

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